FISCAL NOTE

HB 682 - SB 1060

February 24, 2005

SUMMARY OF BILL: Authorizes two or more utility districts, with three commissioners each, to appoint a total of five commissioners in the event of a merger or consolidation of the utility districts. If four or more utility districts, each having a board consisting of three members, consolidate or merge, the subsequent district may appoint a total of seven board members according to the provisions of the bill.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Decrease Local Govt. Expenditures - Not Significant/Permissive

Assumption:

• Authorizing the use of fewer commissioners or board members would result in a decrease in local government expenditures due to a reduction in the per-diems paid to the commissioners or board members.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director